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Federal Opportunities

Environmental Justice Small Grants Program.

The Environmental Protection Agency announces financial assistance to eligible community groups that are working on or plan to carry out projects to address environmental justice issues. Nonprofit organizations are the preferred applicants but applications from local governments will also be reviewed. The deadline is March 9, 2001. Up to \$15,000 in Federal funds is available for each project grant (Superfund projects are eligible for \$20,000). The regional office for DC, MD and VA can be contacted at (215) 814-2988. Also see <http://www.epa.gov/oeca/ej/>

Prevent High-Risk Drinking and Violent Behavior Among College Students. *The Department of Education* announces funds to support the development or enhancement, implementation, and evaluation of campus or community-based prevention strategies to reduce high-risk drinking and/or violent behavior among college students. Institutions of higher education and consortia of nonprofit organizations are eligible. The deadline is February 16, 2001. Approximately 16 awards for \$120,000 each will be made. For further information, contact (202) 260-3954. Also see <http://www.ed.gov/legislation/FedRegister/announcements/index.html>

Middle School Drug Prevention and School Safety School Coordinators. *The Department of Education* announces funds to support recruiting, hiring and training of one or more full-time staff to oversee the implementation of drug prevention and school safety programs for middle school students. Local educational agencies are eligible. The deadline is February 23, 2001. \$26 million is

available for this program and approximately 125 awards will be made of \$200,000 each. For more information, contact (202) 260-3954. Also see <http://www.ed.gov/legislation/FedRegister/announcements/index.html>

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The following applications can be obtained from the Office of Research and Analysis, 717 14th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see http://www.cfo.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm

- **WIC-CSFP Food Center Grant.** The deadline is January 25, 2001. One award of \$1,121,000 will be made.
- **Community Outreach Campaign.** The deadline is January 31, 2001. One award of \$325,000 will be made.
- **Education Professional Development Program.** The deadline for submitting applications is January 15, 2001.

Editorial Note: Funding Alert is a free service of the new Office of Partnerships and Grants Development in the Executive Office of Mayor. To be added to the list, send your name and organization with either a fax number or email address to fundingalert@dcgov.org.